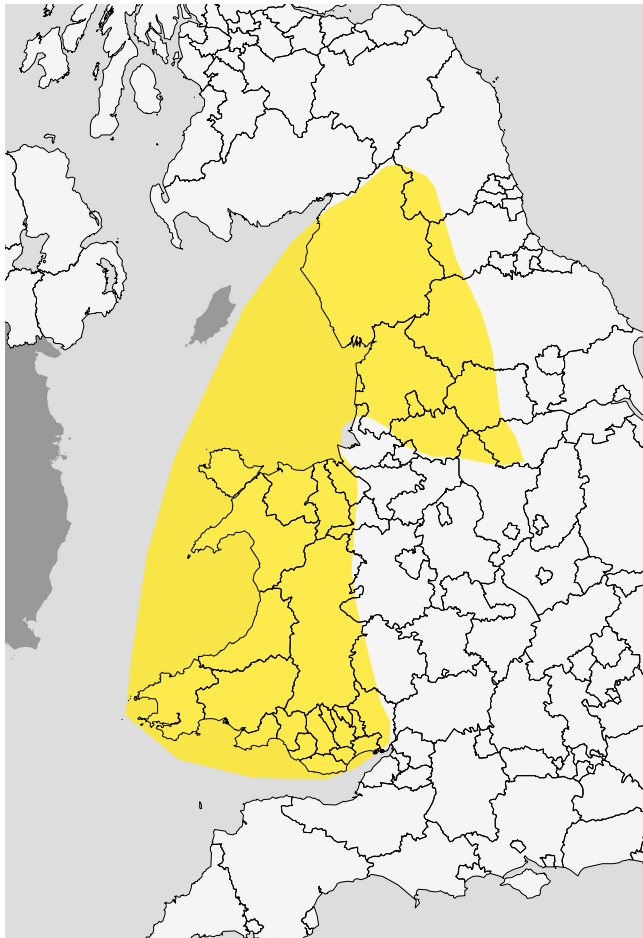


**Yellow warning
Rain**

Between

**18:00 Mon 18 Jan 2021 and
18:00 Wed 20 Jan 2021**

Heavy rainfall combined with some snowmelt across the hills may lead to some flooding of roads and properties.

What to expect

- Homes and businesses could be flooded, causing damage to some buildings
- Fast flowing or deep floodwater is possible, causing a danger to life
- Delays or cancellations to train and bus services are possible
- Spray and flooding could lead to difficult driving conditions and some road closures
- Some communities may be cut off by flooded roads
- Possible power cuts and loss of other services to some homes and businesses

Further details

A broad area of rainfall will arrive across this region later on Monday and remain across the area for the following 36-48 hours. Rainfall will be heaviest and most persistent across western facing hills. Over the course of this time, 30-60 mm of rainfall is expected to fall widely across the warning area, with the potential for up to 150-200 mm across the regions most exposed hills (most likely across northwest Wales, and northwest England).

Across the higher Pennine Hills, there will likely still be significant snowfall laying on Monday.



 Low likelihood of medium impacts

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Further Details (continued)

Much of this will melt during this event and may add an additional 5-10 mm quite widely, and as much as 20-30 mm across the highest snow-covered hills.

Strong winds will also accompany the rainfall and may add to travelling difficulties across areas higher and more exposed routes.

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Derbyshire

North East England

Durham Northumberland

North West England

Blackburn with Darwen Blackpool Cheshire West and Chester Cumbria Greater Manchester
Lancashire Merseyside Warrington

Wales

Blaenau Gwent Bridgend Caerphilly Cardiff Carmarthenshire Ceredigion Conwy Denbighshire
Flintshire Gwynedd Isle of Anglesey Merthyr Tydfil Monmouthshire Neath Port Talbot Newport
Pembrokeshire Powys Rhondda Cynon Taf Swansea Torfaen Vale of Glamorgan Wrexham

West Midlands

Herefordshire Shropshire

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